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In response to the Final Office Action mailed on September 8, 2006 (the three-month response date for which is December 8, 2006), please reconsider the above-referenced application in view of the following.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.